STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

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E	LGIBILITY	UNDER SECTION 1931 OF THE ACT
	he State cove	ers low-income families and children under section 1931 of the Social Security
Т	he following	groups were included in the AFDC State plan effective July 16, 1996:
	•	Pregnant women with no other eligible children.
		_ AFDC children age 18 who are full-time students in a
		secondary school or in the equivalent level of vocational or technical training.
		In determining eligibility for Medicaid, the agency uses the AFDC standards and methodologies in effect as of July 16, 1996 without modification.
	<u>X</u>	In determining eligibility for Medicaid, the agency uses the AFDC standards and methodologies in effect as of July 16, 1996 with the following modifications.
	<u>X</u>	The agency uses less restrictive income and/or resource methodologies than those in effect as of July 16, 1996, as follows:
		• \$4650 exemption for one motor vehicle
		Disregard the value of life insurance policies.
		Disregard earnings of a child in school full or part-time.
		The income and/or resource methodologies that the less restrictive methodologies replace are as follows:
		• Deduct \$1500 from the equity value of one vehicle;
		 The cash surrender value of life insurance policies is considered as a resource.
		 Earned income of a child who meets the in school test is excluded from the budgeting process for six (6) months of the calendar year. For the other six (6) months, the income is counted toward the gross income ceiling test.
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<u>X</u>	The agency continues to apply the following waivers of			
	provisions of Part A of Title IV in effect as of July 16, 1996,			
	or submitted prior to August 22, 1996 and approved by the Secretary on or before July 1, 1997.			
	Drop any prior workforce requirements and eliminate the			
	100-hour rule (i.e., drop the requirement that the principal wage earner in an intact family be employed less than 100			
	hours per month).			
	The agency applies lower income standards which are no			
	lower than the AFDC standards in effect on May 1, 1988, as follows:			
	The agency applies higher income standards than those in			
	effect as of July 16, 1996, increased by no more than the percentage increases in the CPI-U since July 16, 1996, as			
	follows:			
	The agency terminates medical assistance (except for			
	certain pregnant women and children) for individuals who fail to meet TANF work requirements.			
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